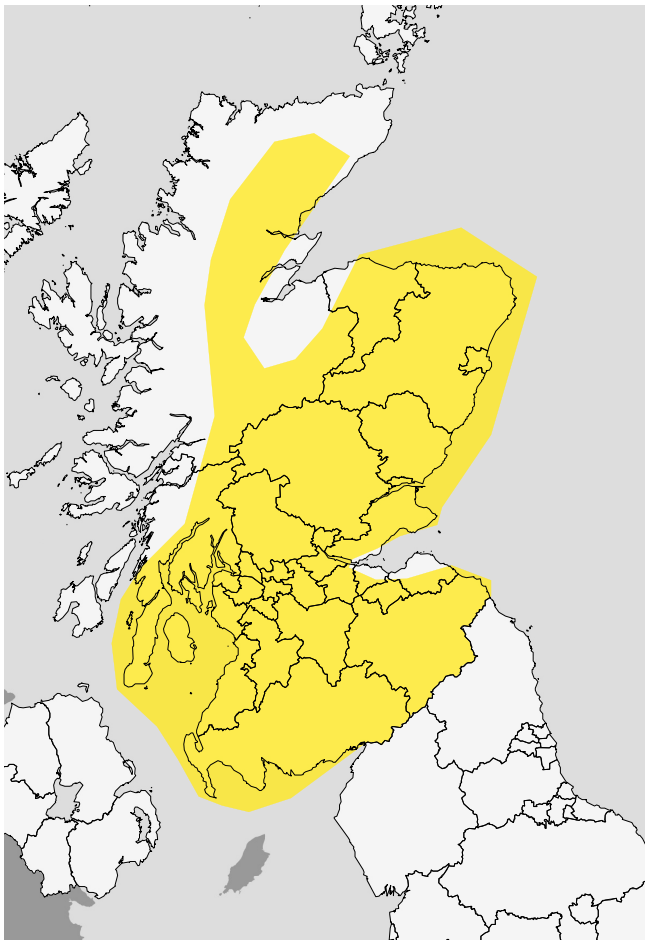
Yellow warning
Rain

Between
06:00 Thu 19 Oct 2023 and
06:00 Sat 21 Oct 2023



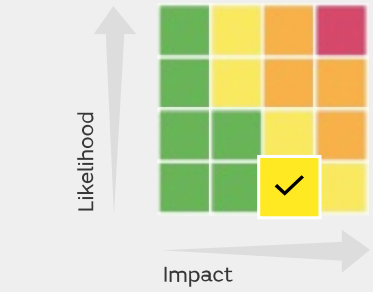
Storm Babet will bring a period of very wet weather to many parts of Scotland from Thursday to Saturday.

What to expect

- Spray and flooding could lead to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- Where flooding occurs, there is a chance of delays or cancellations to train and bus services
- There is a small chance that homes and businesses could be flooded, causing damage to some buildings
- There is a slight chance of power cuts and loss of other services to some homes and businesses
- There is a small chance of fast-flowing or deep floodwater, and communities being cut off by flooded roads

Further details

While there is still some uncertainty in the detail, periods of heavy, prolonged and potentially disruptive rainfall are likely to develop on Thursday and continue in some places through to Saturday. Across central and southern Scotland, 20-40 mm of rain is expected fairly widely with a few places likely to see 50-60 mm. Across northern Scotland, 50-75 mm of rain is expected with the highest ground in the region likely seeing in excess of 100 mm.



Very low likelihood of medium impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Separate amber and red warnings are in place for parts of northern and eastern Scotland where higher rainfall amounts are expected to lead to greater impacts.

The rain will be accompanied by very strong easterly winds across parts of Scotland, which could exacerbate impacts.

Reason for update

Warning has been trimmed to Scotland with a separate warning now issued to cover parts of England.

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All regions & authorities affected

Central, Tayside & Fife

Angus Clackmannanshire Dundee Falkirk Fife Perth and Kinross Stirling

Grampian

Aberdeen Aberdeenshire Moray

Highlands & Eilean Siar

Highland

SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Dumfries and Galloway East Lothian Edinburgh Midlothian Council Scottish Borders West Lothian

Strathclyde

Argyll and Bute East Ayrshire East Dunbartonshire East Renfrewshire Glasgow Inverclyde North Ayrshire North Lanarkshire Renfrewshire South Ayrshire South Lanarkshire West Dunbartonshire

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